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Title:

AN ADAPTER FOR A FIRST FLUSH WATER DIVERTER

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P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

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Independent claims after amendment

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Applicant claims "small entity" status.

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated June 20, 2005, for which a one month extension of time is requested up to and including October 20, 2005, please amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4.

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